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MRS. R. M. COLLETT GETS VERDICT

Book Concern of A. M. E. Church Must Refund \$4,718.28.

WHY SUIT WAS INSTITUTED.

Unable to Collect Money Paid to Save Publishing House of the Denomination From Sheriff's Hammer, Widow of Former Manager Was Forced to Take Legal Action For Settlement.

Philadelphia.—Mrs. Ruth M. Collett of Baltimore, widow of the late Rev. John H. Collett, who was for six years manager of the A. M. E. Publishing house in Philadelphia, was recently awarded a verdict for \$4,718.28 in her claim for money said to have been advanced by herself and husband in order to keep the book concern going as well as for back salary. Mrs. Collett says that she resorted to every other means in order to get the money before taking the matter to the courts.

"A few days after my husband's death in 1908," says Mrs. Collett, "I went to Philadelphia and requested that there be an accounting between us so that all bills for and against my husband could be accounted for and paid. This was refused, and when I requested that I be allowed to get my husband's papers this was also refused, and I began to be a little alarmed. When my husband succeeded R. H. Leek as business manager in 1902 he found that the sheriff had tacked a notice on the property declaring that it was to be sold for debt.

"He paid off claims against the department so fast that many times there was not enough money left to pay the running expenses, and he was forced to advance the deficit from his personal funds. One of the bills against the department was \$1,178 for lino-typing. Things became so pressing after awhile that I had to apply some



MRS. RUTH M. COLLETT.

of my own funds in order to help my husband in his work of saving the concern to the denomination.

"My husband employed a certified public accountant, Miss Eva Johnson, as clerk, and thereby every penny was accounted for. When Mr. Collett's quinquennial statement was read at the general conference in Norfolk in 1908 it was accepted, and many of the ministers gathered around to congratulate him. I proposed that \$500 be paid me in cash and the remainder at \$50 a month. I did not hear anything more of the matter until December, 1908, eight months after my husband's death, which occurred in April, 1908.

"Then Mr. R. H. Wright, manager now for the concern, offered me \$200 down and \$50 a month, besides embodying a plan by which I would have over \$800. I wrote Bishop Gaines repeatedly, but received not a single answer, and the suit was the result. The expert accountant and myself were highly commended by the judge who sat in the case."

Mrs. Collett says she paid the department every cent due it. She is well and favorably known in all parts of the country on account of having presented her husband at annual conferences. Rev. Mr. Collett was fifty-seven years of age at the time of his death and was one of the best known ministers in the country.

Georgia Colored Fair Association.
The fifth annual fair of the Georgia colored fair association will be held at Macon from Nov. 8 to 13, inclusive. The Macon (Ga.) city council has granted the association the use of the central city park in which to hold an exhibition, which is the largest in the south. Major R. R. Wright, president of the organization, has long ago distinguished himself as an organizer and promoter of large undertakings, and knows how to get results.

Clergymen Had Profitable Session.
The fifteenth annual meeting of the district Association of the Congregational Churches of Southern North Carolina, held in the First Congregational church in Raleigh, from April 10 to 30, inclusive, brought together one of the ablest men in the denomination. The sessions were well attended, profitable and free from personal bickering.

DR. M'WILLIAMS RESIGNS.

Trustees of Corey Institute Regret to Lose His Services.

The trustees of the Corey Memorial Institute, Portsmouth, Va., in accepting the resignation of Principal B. F. McWilliams, which becomes effective at the close of the present school year, spoke of him as follows: His removal from the head of our educational institution takes from us one who has proved himself more than worthy of our confidence, one who has shown himself to be an educator of the foremost rank and one who has developed our work so wonderfully. We have for him only feelings of profound gratitude and words of loudest praise.

Professor McWilliams is a man of deep learning, practical experience and perfect acquaintance with the problem of education. He is a man of great moral force and character and a perfect example of the possibilities of Christian education. He is equally at home at the editor's desk, in the classroom and in the pulpit.

He finds his perfect complement in his accomplished wife, who is to him a helpmeet indeed and in truth and who figures prominently in all of his achievements. They have erected a monument in our hearts and affections which will perpetuate their memory while time and being last. While we are loath to give them up, yet our prayers and best wishes go with them wherever the Lord shall lead them. They are leaving all the doors in tide-water open behind them.

Dr. McWilliams goes to Toledo, O., as pastor of the influential Third Baptist church.

ROBERT P. HAMLIN CALLED TO INTERNATIONAL FIELD

Secretary of Carlton Avenue Branch, Y. M. C. A., Suddenly Resigns.

By N. BARNETT DODSON.

At the annual meeting of the committee of management of the Carlton avenue branch of the Y. M. C. A., in Brooklyn, held the last week in April, Secretary Robert P. Hamlin's report showed an increase in the membership of the association and also that the fiscal year closed without a deficit. The election of officers, which was by ballot, resulted as follows: Chairman, Wyatt Eugene Tyler; vice chairman, Richard I. Jackson; recording secretary, Norman D. Johnson, Jr.

"After remarks by different members as to the bright outlook of the work for the ensuing year Secretary Hamlin created a sensation by announcing that he had partly decided to resign the secretaryship for the purpose of entering the international work of the Y. M. C. A., as he had received a call to that field. The members of the committee at once gathered around him for information as to why he had acted so hastily in the matter without informing either the officials of the branch or the general secretary of the central association of his intentions to sever his connections with the Carlton avenue branch.

But the only satisfaction Mr. Hamlin gave was that he thought the matter between himself and the international committee had gone too far to be withdrawn. "It is practically out of my hands. I have decided to go," said Mr. Hamlin.

Robert P. Hamlin is a native of Northampton county, N. C., and received his literary training at Shaw university, where he graduated in the class of 1900. During his student days at Shaw university Mr. Hamlin became interested in Y. M. C. A. work. Soon after his graduation he returned to Springfield, Mass., whither his people had gone several years before. In order to prepare himself for Y. M. C. A. work Mr. Hamlin entered the International Y. M. C. A. Training school, graduating with the class of 1904.

In December, 1904, Mr. Hamlin went to Washington to superintend the organization of the Y. M. C. A., which has since grown into a flourishing association, with a new \$10,000 building. After fourteen months' work in Washington Mr. Hamlin was called to his present position as secretary of the Carlton avenue branch, Y. M. C. A., of which he took charge in February, 1906. He is well qualified for his work, fond of athletics, music, bowling and other attractive features of the physical side of the Y. M. C. A. work.

Cause of Railroad Firemen's Strike.
The promotion of colored firemen on the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas railroad is said to be responsible for the recent strike of white firemen who seem not to be satisfied unless colored men are kept at work on the freight trains or given employment in freight yards. Brain knows no color, nor should the capacity to do skilled labor or to perform great intellectual tasks be judged by the color of a person's skin. As long as certain classes of white workmen spend their energy in trying to keep the colored man down so long will there be friction between the races.

Golden Wedding Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wibecan, Sr., of Evergreen, N. Y., celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Monday, May 1, with a solemn high mass at St. Bridget's Roman Catholic church. The celebrant was Rector P. J. Farrelly, who was assisted by Rev. J. E. Burke, rector of colored missions, and Rev. T. M. O'Keefe of St. Benedict the Moor, in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Wibecan are the parents of Mr. George E. Wibecan, who is one of Brooklyn's most aggressive and public spirited citizens.

CLIO SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCE

Gives Special Instruction in the Higher Branches of Learning.

MUCH GOOD ACCOMPLISHED.

Interesting Story of the Career and Work of Mme. Adena C. E. Minott, Founder and Principal of an Institution Especially Designed For the Study of the Mental Sciences.

By N. BARNETT DODSON.

New York.—Among the great number of institutions of learning both public and private in New York, the Clio School of Mental Sciences at 487 Sixth avenue is worthy of the name it bears. It is the only school of its kind where a thorough and practical course of instruction is given in phrenology, physiognomy, psychology and kindred subjects. The institution is

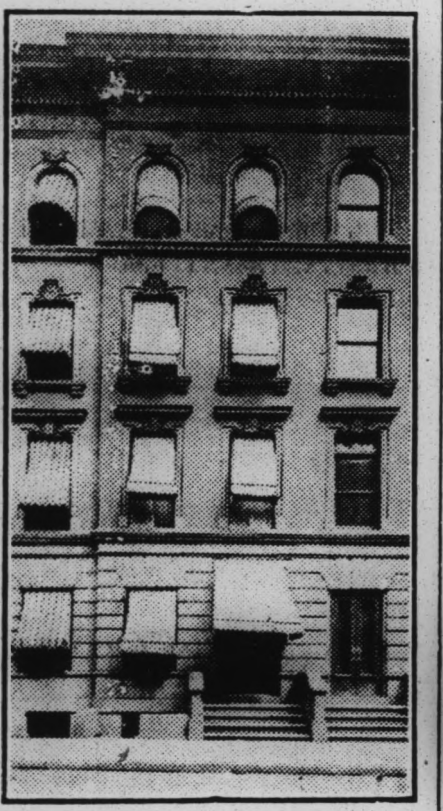


MME. ADENA C. E. MINOTT.

equipped with ample facilities, such as busts, portraits and charts for illustrating every subject taught.

In order to facilitate the work of the main school and because of the increasing number of persons from other cities who desire to avail themselves of the many helpful advantages which the Clio school offers, a splendid building suitable for class work and dormitory purposes for students, visitors or permanent guests has been procured in the excellent neighborhood of West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, No. 121, known now as the Clio school studio. Elegant rooms with or without board may be had at a nominal figure. The necessity for such a school to those who teach or are engaged in business or the professions is obvious. In the measure that the mariner's compass is necessary to the captain for the successful guidance of his ship over rough seas, in the same measure it is necessary for those engaged in other lines of work to have a knowledge of the science of the mind in order to steer successfully over the difficulties which they must necessarily meet in their life work.

In the onward sweep of civilization man has done great wonders in the production of new inventions. He has conquered the air and made it subservient to his will. His keen mind and penetrating eye have enabled him



CLIO SCHOOL STUDIO BUILDING.

to peep into the heavenly bodies and tell of their mysterious makeup and, heeding the doctrine of the Greek philosophers, "Know thyself," he has discovered the art which brings him in closer touch with mankind, which also enables him to perform his mission with more ease and with greater results.

Mme. Minott's Literary Achievements.
The leading spirit in the work of this great institution is Mme. Adena C. E. Minott, who has been practicing the profession of mental science in New York city and vicinity as well as in other cities for the past twelve years. She received her grammar and high school education in this city,

where she matriculated for college. While waiting the opening of the McDonnell College of Phrenology and Psychology, in Washington, Miss Minott familiarized herself with the course of study which she was to pursue, so that on entering the school she had a full grasp of the subject to be taught.

Being of a naturally bright mind and anxious to excel in her studies, Miss Minott, the only colored girl in the school, finished the course in less than the usual time and graduated with honors, receiving the degrees of Ph. B. and M. S. in April, 1899. She afterward took a postgraduate course at the famous Fowler and Wells Institute of Phrenology and Anthropology in New York and perfected herself in the five branches of mental sciences—viz, phrenology, anthropology, psychology, physiognomy and physiology, which she now teaches. She is also proficient in anatomy and hygiene.

Upon graduating from the Fowler and Wells institute Mme. Minott received the badge of membership and was made a fellow of the American Institute of Phrenology, a distinction held by no other woman of our race in the United States. It is the verdict of those who have a thorough knowledge of the science that the study of it is essential to both men and women, as it enables each to better understand the peculiarities of the other and also to know how to help other people. It is of paramount importance to parents in the proper training of their children, and especially in assisting them in the right choice of a trade or profession.

Students Have Double Advantages.

Mme. Minott is principal of the Clio School of Mental Sciences and takes an active part in every department of the work as well as directly the rules and regulations of the Clio studio home in West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, which is closely affiliated with the American Institute of Phrenology. Thus students of the Clio school receive every reasonable consideration from the college while pursuing their studies. Private, class and correspondence courses are given in all the branches of the science by Mme. Minott personally. The courses are graded according to the three types of temperaments recognized in modern philosophy, which insures the uniform success of each scholar.

The school does not draw the color line. Both white and colored persons are admitted on the same terms. Many of the graduates and students who before taking the course of study were scarcely making exposures, are now holding good paying positions, and many are engaged in business for themselves. The cut shows some of the honor graduates of the class of 1910, with Mme. Minott in the center.

In establishing the Clio school studio home Mme. Minott says it is the aim

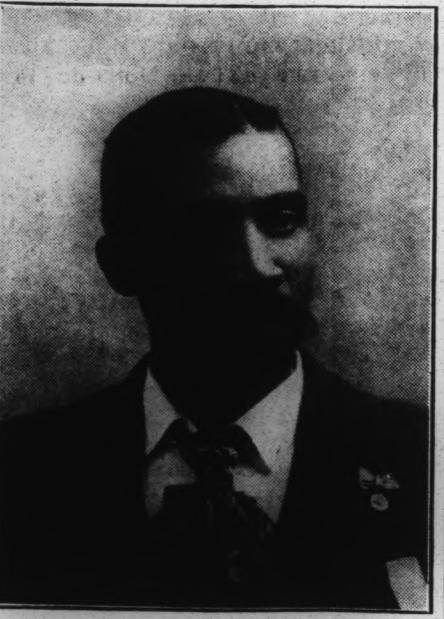


HONOR GRADUATES OF CLASS FOR TERM FROM OCTOBER, 1910, TO FEBRUARY, 1911.

of the management to provide first class accommodations for students and other persons coming to New York, where they may receive all the comforts of home with courteous treatment and the best environment. Members of the advisory board are Mr. F. R. Moore, Mrs. Frances R. Keyser, Mr. M. H. Wolfe, Mrs. Addie W. Hinton, Mrs. W. H. Brooks and H. C. Bishop and Mme. Adena C. E. Minott.

Odd Fellows Anniversary.

The sixty-eighth Thanksgiving Anniversary Services of the Odd Fellows, Households of Ruth and Juveniles of this city will be observed tomorrow afternoon at Mt. Zion Baptist church, corner of Fayette and West Twelfth streets. The Rev. H.



G. L. JONES, GRAND MASTER.

W. Tate, pastor of Simpson Chapel M. E. church, will preach the annual sermon. James N. Shelton will be master of ceremonies and Captain J. M. Porter, marshal of the day. J. S. Thornton, Mrs. J. Woolfolk, Dorothy Boone, Mrs. Carrie D. Galloway, Henry Gann, Mrs. Sallie Phillips, Mrs. Cora B. Jackson, Mrs. Emma Duval and W. E. Jones will represent the various departments on the program.

Mrs. Wm. Jones, Miss Mary McAfee and Mrs. Lena Taylor entertain at a highly appointed dinner, fourteen guests, Sunday evening, at the Washington Cafe, in honor of Miss Bettie Muldee, Miss Elva Johnson, Miss and Mary Moore of Louisville, Ky,

RELIGIOUS LIFE IN BALTIMORE.

Seventy-fifth Anniversary of First Baptist Church Observed.

BEGAN IN PERILOUS TIMES.

Congregation Which Started as a Mission on Exeter Street Ninety-three Years Ago Met With Many Difficulties Which Hindered Its Early Growth—Rev. P. C. Neal's Success.

Baltimore.—The seventy-fifth anniversary of the incorporation of the First Baptist church, a four weeks' celebration of which began at the church edifice on Sunday, May 7, marks an important epoch in the church life of this city as well as of the state of Maryland. The beginning of the church dates back to 1816, when a mission was opened on Exeter street, the minister in charge being one of the early exhorters of the race. As the sentiment was not favorable in those times of slavery for colored people to hold separate meetings of any kind, fear of some anti-slavery plots being hatched, the mission did not grow very much.

It was not until 1834, when Moses Clayton, a stalwart preacher of the old school, came from Norfolk, Va., and



REV. DR. P. CARTER NEAL.

took charge of the congregation, that the church began to take on new life. Under his direction in 1836 the congregation was incorporated. Rev. Mr. Clayton continued in the pastorate until 1860, when he died at the age of seventy-seven years.

In the period from the beginning of the civil war Rev. J. Underdue, Rev. John Wythe, Rev. Lewis Hicks and several others were in charge for brief periods. It was during this time that the private school and house of worship of the congregation at Thompson and Young streets were remodeled. Rev. J. C. Allen, a graduate of Liberia college, O., was called to the pastorate in 1872. The congregation then began to grow more rapidly in numbers and influence, and a lot was purchased at the corner of Caroline and McElderry streets for \$3,500. In 1881 a handsome new church edifice was erected on the lot, where the congregation still worships.

Coincident with the coming of Rev. Mr. Allen was the calling of Rev. Harvey Johnson to the pastorate of Union Baptist church and of Rev. Ananias Brown to the Leadenhall Street church. The great influx of the race from the south was then on, and the Baptist churches grew regularly and set apart other congregations, until now there are over 30,000 Baptists in Maryland. The growing feebleness of Pastor Allen was cause of the church calling the Rev. P. Carter Neal as assistant pastor in 1901. After serving with marked success as assistant pastor he was made copastor of the church and on the death of Rev. Mr. Allen was elected to the pastorate.

Pastor Neal is a native of this city. His parents were the late Spicer and Emma Neal. He received his early training in the public schools of Baltimore. He is a graduate of Wayland seminary and also of Lincoln university and Hamilton theological seminary, New York.

Lincoln university conferred the honorary degree of master of arts upon him the year following his graduation. Rev. Mr. Neal is happily married. His wife, who before her marriage to Mr. Neal was Miss Harriet A. Wimble, was a classmate of his at Wayland seminary. Mrs. Neal is a woman of firm religious convictions and has been a great help to her husband in his work as pastor. At the initial service incident to the celebration Rev. Dr. Neal preached the historical sermon. Rev. Dr. Walter H. Brooks of Washington and the Rev. W. A. Credit, president of the New England Baptist missionary convention, were among the out of town ministers who assisted in the celebration.

Traymore Assembly's Reception.
The sixteenth annual reception of the Traymore assembly recently held at Fitzgerald's auditorium, Atlantic City, N. J., was a grand success. Music for this special occasion was furnished by the Thomas orchestra. Professor F. C. O. Brown had charge of the social program.

A Popular Musician.

The Recorder is pleased to announce that Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Ratliffe, both of whom are well known in local circles, have removed to their suburban home, 4712 E. 30th street, a tract of 25 lots. Mr. Ratliffe a city letter carrier, is a musician of note, having rendered excellent service in many of the city's big musicals. The starlight Glee club, his own organization and Bethel A. M. E. church choir are fitting examples of his musical worth. Mr. Ratliffe is aided by a beautiful and amiable wife, refined lady of high attainments, whose valuable assistance has made it possible to take on this work. Four bright and intelligent daughters, Irma, Lititia,



MRS. S. A. RATLIFFE.

Elva May and Hazel Margatite grace the threshold of this interesting family. Mrs. Edith Everitt of the Wendall Phillips High School, Chicago, and her son Ernest, a sister of Mrs. Ratliffe, will reside with them and attend Butler college next year. Mr. Ratliffe will of necessity resign his interest in the Glee club and many other social functions. He has the best wishes of The Recorder in his new undertaking.

Y. M. C. A. Entertainment at Simpson Chapel, Thursday May 18.

Preparations are being made for a grand entertainment at Simpson Chapel, Thursday eve May 18, under the direction of Miss Frances Berry, and for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. The following program will be rendered:

1. Instrumental Solo.....Tridivale Luella Murphy
2. How to Break a Boy from Exaggeration.....Twenty Boys
3. Vocal Solo....."My Hero" Sydonia Parker
4. Origin of the Moonlight Sonata, in Fantomine
5. A Story....."A Good Dinner." Leona Van Meter
6. Instrumental Solo.....Annabelle Watts
7. Sketch.....Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, Esther Bowman
8. "Po' Little Lamb".....Quartette
9. Sketch.....Little Women
10. Chorus....."I Love the Name of Mary"
11. Columbia.....Poses.....Wilda Smith
12. Singing in the Grapevine Swing Boys Quartette
13. Fantomine.....The Rosary Katherine Williams
14. The Y. M. C. A. Chorus

State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, at Marion, May 22 to 26.

The State Federation of Colored Women's club will convene in Marion, Ind., May 22 to 26 inclusive. A large number of delegates will attend from this city. Mrs. Minnie C. Scott, the state president and national organizer, reports much enthusiasm and activity among the club women all over the state, and this session of the Federation is expected to exceed all former sessions in point of attendance and work accomplished.

Mrs. W. E. Brown Entertains.

Mrs. W. E. Brown entertained a large company of friends last Saturday at her home 1109 N. Senate avenue from 4 to 6 in honor of Mrs. Chas. Davis of Chicago who was her house guest during the week. The affair is conceded to have been the most artistically managed and unique in its character of any house entertainment given in colored circles in the city. The beautiful parlors were darkened, the front parlor being converted into a veritable staidland where was carried out the attractive features of a choice program. Mesdames J. L. Thompson and Katie Cheatham were the accompanists for the occasion. After a thrilling prelude by Mrs. J. L. Thompson the following program was rendered: solo Mrs. Thompson; scene from Miles Standish, Miss Beck as Priscilla, Miss Broadie as John Alden; violin solo, Mrs. T. A. Smythe; scene from Spanish Gypsy—Mrs. G. H. Clay as Fedalnia; Folk dances, Misses Hazel Alexander and Onelda Washington—Spanish dance, and Highland dance. Part 2. Hiawatha—the departure, the wooing, the death of Minnehaha—Miss Jennie Walker, Hiawatha, Miss Mamie Locklear, Minnehaha; Mrs. J. T. Hill, Nakomis; Miss Onelda Washington, Arrowmaker. Each scene provoked rapturous applause from the guests present. Mrs. Brown out the hostess, concealed behind a screen read the lines which were gracefully depicted by the participants. The scene of Hiawatha was portrayed in a strikingly realistic manner in front of a real Indian tepee, about which were festooned Indian baskets, husks of corn, bows and arrows and other Indian trappings, beside which was a bank of palms. At the close of the program, the guests divided themselves into groups and to enjoy a social hour after which dainty refreshments were served. Among the out of town guests were Misses Cecelia Holloway and New York, Katie Blackburn a returned missionary from Africa. Assisting in the hospitalities with the hostess were Mrs. Wm. Jones and Misses Carrie Barnes and Carolyn Stewart. The whole affair reflects credit upon the hostess and is one to be long remembered.

Progressive Walk a Success.

Last Sunday 43 couple from the Ethical Culture society formed in line and with excellent order and dispatch walked to the colored Orphan home, 21st and N. Senate avenue, changing partners every three minutes. Once there the club rendered its usual program, which consisted of songs, two recitations by Dorland Henderson, and Emma Simms; two stories "The Weather Vein," Irene Hayden and "Legend of St. Christopher," Carrie Heston. The children of the Home, about 57 in number, then gave a short program consisting of Bible quotations and songs excellently rendered. No one who listened while those children with bowed heads sang "Just Like Him," could help but be touched and feel a thrill of love and fellowship for them. After a few remarks by the president of the Home, a small offering taken. Next Sunday will be Mother's Day. Geo. W. Cable will speak. Sunday May 21, Miss Laura Donnon will address the society.

A Movement to Start a Y. W. C. A.

In response to an invitation from Miss Cecelia Holloway, the only colored national secretary, and a member of the national board of the Y. W. C. A., twenty-five colored women met at the Y. W. C. A., Sunday to hear of plan of the work which the organization is doing, and to discuss the feasibility of instituting some such work among the colored women of this city.

The plan of the work was explained by Mrs. C. J. Buckner, president of the Y. W. C. A., and by Mrs. E. E. Stacy, after hearing which it was decided to appoint a publicity and educational committee to make public the plans discussed, and to educate a larger number of women in the plan of the Y. W. C. A., looking to create a sentiment in favor of the organization of a colored Y. W. C. A., at some future time. The following is the publicity committee: Mesdames E. Cable, Sadie Hill, Jennie Taylor, Lillian Fox, Lillian V. Brown and Miss Frances Berry.

The annual election of the Y. M. C. A., which was held on Wednesday night, May 3, resulted as follows: G. L. Knox, H. L. Sanders, E. N. Perkins, W. R. Valentine, Dr. S. A. Furniss and Dr. J. H. Ward were elected to succeed themselves on the committee of management. J. Walter Hodge succeeded Dr. H. L. Hummons. The following officers for the ensuing year were chosen: Chairman, G. L. Knox; Vice chairman, E. N. Perkins; Treasurer, H. Sanders; Recording Secretary, W. R. Valentine.

Sanitary Meat Market

We call the attention of our many readers to the display advertisement or Wacker's Sanitary, Cut-rate meat market. Mr. Wacker's meat are kept in sanitary refrigerators counters. All meats are inspected and bear the U. S. stamp, and everything complies with the Pure Food law.

We ask you to consider the advantages of this place, its stock, services, equipment, and that everything is sold with the understanding that it is right in quantity, quality and price. Mr. Wacker has in his employ three butchers and two delivery boys, and with all the other improvements is a strictly first-class meat market.

Leah Chapter O. of E. S. will hold memorial services at their hall, cor. Delaware and Court street. The program will be in charge of the Worthy Patron, Theodore Crawford, and the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Mamie Gardner. The public is invited.

Henry W. Furniss Resigns

It is believed here that W. T. Vernon of Kansas, formerly Registrar of the Treasury, will succeed Henry W. Furniss, of Indianapolis, as United States minister to Hayti. Mr. Furniss' resignation has been received at the State department and will become effective about July 1.

Mr. Vernon resigned as Register of the Treasury six months ago with the expectation of becoming the head of a college in the middle west. He became sick and lost his appointment. He is a constituent of Senator Charles Curtis, of Kansas, who obtained the appointment for him.

K. of P. Endowment Board

The regular monthly meeting of the K. of P. Endowment board will be held Sunday May 21, at the Pythian Temple building, in the Grand lodge headquarters. Quite a number of visitors are expected in the city.

State Charity Convention.

The 8th annual session of the State Sisters of Charity will convene next Tuesday at 9 a. m., in the Charity Hospital building, cor. 15th and Missouri streets. About seventy-five delegates are expected, and the convention will last three days. Tuesday eve a reception will be tendered the delegates; Wednesday from 2 to 4 p. m., memorial services will be held to the general public is invited. The election of officers will occur Thursday afternoon. There are 15 lodges in Indiana. Mrs. Ada Goins is State president and Mrs. Dora Booth, State financial secretary. On Thursday eve an entertainment will be given for the benefit of the hospital by Sisters of Charity Nos. 6 and 16, who are also entertaining the convention. The following program will be rendered: Invocation; Instrumental solo, Miss Sophia Butler; Solo, Miss Leona Van Meter; Reading, Pansy Board; Selection, Starlight Glee club; Recitation, Anna Frances; Solo, Ed. Richey; Reading, Alfred Taylor; Solo, Miss Osa Watkins; Selection, Starlight Glee club.

NEWS FROM AROUND ABOUT

NEW ALBANY.

When our city received Rev. Frank P. Baker as pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church it was honored with one of the strongest men in the conference. He is a whole soul, generous, and able man who is ready and willing to help in any cause that uplifts his fellowman. When Rev. Baker is approached in regards to any proposition beneficial towards society, he generally answers, "Well boys, count me in." In the church his strong personality influences men, women and children to work almost unceasingly for its good and advancement. Since he has been in New Albany our A. M. E. has made rapid strides religiously and financially. He believes in decorating and in using every means to attract the people and by such means many sinners are induced to attend church at least twice a year. In the community Rev. Baker does as much good as in the church. He acquaints himself with conditions as they exist and uses his best influence to improve them. He supports the schools in every possible manner, helps them in their entertainments and plans many things which bring before the people the work that is done in the schools. In other words Rev. Baker preaches and practices the commandment, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."

Mrs. Robert Harper of Indianapolis visits Scribner High school while in the city and was pleasantly surprised at the standard maintained in our schools here. She returned home last Sunday morning. Miss Jessie Clay who has been ill for several months has resumed their duties in the Mt. Vernon public schools. Mrs. C. H. Wright of Xenia, O., is visiting her daughter Mrs. C. F. Williamson. Bethel church is planning a reception for the graduates and the speaker Dr. W. Brown of Indianapolis. Dr. A. F. Harper of Indianapolis was in the city to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Blackburn. His wife and son, Robert, accompanied him. The closing days of school will be made as pleasant as possible and many social pleasures are scheduled. Miss Jennie Aline the beloved daughter of Mrs. Julia Luca Clemens died Wednesday May 8, at 12 m. She was 24 years of age and loved by all who knew her. The funeral occurred Friday morning at 10 a. m. in the Eastern cemetery Jeffersonville. The following were pallbearers Messrs Noble Welch, Robert Russell Lucas Welch, Ray Calbert, Miley Perry and Amos Russell. The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Jane Blackburn, the mother of Dr. M. A. Blackburn and Mrs. Ida Martin was largely attended by many friends May 4, at Bethel A. M. E. church. She was one of the oldest residents of this city having lived here for over 50 years. She was a devoted Christian highly respected and loved by all who knew her. She was energetic and at her death possessed some of the most valuable property in this city. The floral offerings were beautiful. Rev. F. P. Baker officiated assisted by Dr. S. C. Manuel pastor of the second Baptist church. Several of her favorite selections were rendered by the choir. Miss Bertha Coakley caused a pall to fall over the congregation by the rendition of "Face to Face." Dr. E. R. Gaddie read resolutions which were very touching in behalf of the Medical Association. The members of the Senior class visit other classes of the H. S. and graded schools having their vacant afternoon periods. They have received many helpful pointers from their visits. The 8th grade pupils eligible for diplomas are Matthew Russell, Louisa Clark, John Wilkerson, Viola Smith, Albert Tyler and Mary Humphreys. The commencement will occur May 26 at Bethel church. The McVickers Sewing Society met at the residence of Mrs. Etter McGlassen Friday afternoon. Covers were laid for twenty after the meeting. Miss Grace Russell is able to be out again. Captain B. Alexander is improving. Patriarch No. 59 is making preparations to receive and highly entertain Patriarch No. 22 of Indianapolis who will meet here in dress parade the 4th Sunday in May.

DAYTON O.

Many of the members of Golden Link No. 15 attended the celebration of the Cincinnati lodges held there last Sunday. The Columbus lodges are arranging for a great time in June. Arrangements are being made to entertain the visiting delegation and friends. J. Craft died Monday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Chotman in Catherine avenue. Dr. H. M. Porter attended the annual sermon of the Good Samaritans at Cincinnati last Sunday. Mrs. L. Beal in Fremont street is improving. The Woman's Missionary society will hold their annual services at the Baker street church May 21. Mrs. John Wagner is improving at Miami Valley hospital after undergoing an operation. Misses Viola and Ione Steward of Columbus, O., will spend their vacation here with relatives and friends. The household of Ruth will hold their annual sermon May 21 at Baker street church, Primus Als-ton officiating. The 9th Infantry Co. C. will encamp at Ft. Perry Aug. 28 to Sept. 4. Captain Ed. Deaton, Lieutenants Mallory and Bolter have spent much time to bring the boys up to a point of efficiency which will insure at least creditable notice in the competition drill. The Baker street Sewing Circle gave \$20 to the Rebuilding Committee who are raising funds for a new parsonage. The Laymen's Convention at Army hall last week was the most notable gathering of educated men that have ever assembled in Dayton, and closed with Prof. Chas. Johnson state pres. E. Banks, sec., Prof. Curry of Urbana vice pres. Miss Bessie Thomas of 46 Peas street has just returned from a visit in Lima, O. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ginney lost their 5 year old daughter Clara Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler have moved to 645 Wilms street.

PRINCETON, IND.

Princeton Pythians certainly made a grand showing last Sunday that will live long in the memory of all who witnessed it. Eighty men and forty women formed the line of march in company with the Hon. F. Jones Grand Chancellor of Kentucky and Grand Chancellor E. G. Tidrington of Indiana. The Smithfield Baptist church was crowded to overflowing. The program rendered was as follows: Address on Pythianism by Prof. Cox of Evansville was to the point and full of interest. The choir conducted by Mrs. Ella Turner rendered good music; John Neely gave a splendid address on the good of the Uniform Rank; recitation Miss Nellie Catlett; duett, Misses M. F. Grady and Eva Scott. Grand Chancellor Tidrington in his matter-of-fact way told what we are doing and what we are going to do in Indiana. Hon. F. H. Jones Grand Chancellor spoke of the day held the vast audience spellbound for one hour. Never before had there been delivered so much common sense, profound knowledge, fatherly advice seasoned with wit and humor and inspiration. We are proud that our most worthy Chancellor Commander Chas. Stevenson secured the services of Prof. Jones. Princeton has now new inspiration and will push her membership to 100. Mrs. Audrey Smith spoke in behalf of Lady Princeton Court delivering a grand oration and said in part: "We comfort and provide for you when sick; we give you the friendly grip of fidelity, harmony and love; we rejoice with you over your triumphs and successes in life; we caution you when we see you wading too far from the shore of security; we throw a light upon your pathway when you are lost in a wilderness of confusion; we remove the hoodwink from your eyes placed there by the deception and delusion of the world; we lead you from the altar of mammon to the altar of noble deeds and love for the misfortunate; sadly but slowly keep step to the funeral march that leads to your last resting place and there we cover your body with flowers in token of our fraternal friendship. This is as far as we can go, but oh the depth of a Savior's love we should cherish above all others. Our love is human, but the love of God is divine." We extend a welcome hand to all the ladies of the city who want to help to spread the principles of fidelity harmony and love. Our progress has been great because the loyal knights have been true to us and we shall do all we can to exemplify the life and true living of the best.

Let love be our guide on the highway To give our pathway light. Let everything we do or say, Give proof we are living right.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woolfork are the proud parents of a fine baby boy. The Junior choir of Bethel church will render an excellent musical and literary program at Second M. E. church next Tuesday evening. Mrs. Miller and daughters and several persons from Vincennes were in the city Sunday. The ladies of the Morning Star Chapter of Eastern Star had a profitable time financially and socially in Clarence Butler's new brick building last Saturday evening. Rev. Barbee and officers expect unusually good results in the rally Sunday. Rev. Dorsey of this city will be in a series of meetings in Crawfordsville May 14. Each of the four graduates will deliver a short oration at the commencement May 25. The music by the high school and eighth grade, the Lincoln orchestra and a girl's chorus from the Princeton H. S. under the direction of Miss Minnie Harlan will be a leading feature that evening. Dr. Wm. Summers of Corydon who is to deliver the address to the graduates is one of the most eloquent and able divines in the state. Misses J. Clay and G. Smith of Mt. Vernon will be the guests of Mrs. G. H. Brown Saturday and Sunday. The 14 young ladies in the Girls of Allen club was much enjoyed at the Prince street church last Tuesday evening. Rev. Chas. Hopkins held a meeting in Wheatland Sunday. He will baptize several there June 4. Some graceful movements, pretty steps and beautiful figures were presented by 14 young ladies in the Japanese Fan drill at Bethel church Friday evening. A good sum was realized for the benefit of the rally. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sharp a boy. They call him Robert Douglas. The Odd Fellows fraternity will have their annual service at the Second M. E. church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. A good speaker is promised for the occasion. The stag entertainment afforded much laughter at the Second M. E. church Monday evening.

LAUGHVILLE.

Rev. H. Mickens our P. E. visited Caldwell chapel Sunday. He and his two sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips at dinner Sunday. After quite a serious illness Mrs. Nannie Tabor is able to be out again. The association held Monday at St. Paul church was well attended. The program was interesting. The S. S. board met with Mrs. Ida Jones Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hill were entertained Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pettiford at luncheon. Mrs. Curry gave a social Saturday night at her home. Mrs. Nellie Pettiford went to Carthage last Friday to witness the graduation of her niece Miss Ethel Heathcock. A concert was given Wednesday evening at Caldwell chapel. Mrs. Greer after about three months spent at Lincoln hospital for treatment is at home and although weak is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis 1037 N. Belmont avenue. Miss Scruggs is able to be out. The I. C. C. was entertained Thursday by Mrs. Gertrude Johnson. An excellent program was rendered. Mr. and Mrs. Asher Bailey were present and the next meeting will be at their home.

RICHMOND

To the pastors and superintendents of the Wesleyan Methodist Sunday School of the First and Second District: June 23 to 25 is set for our fourth annual quadrennial Assembly to meet at Richmond, Ind. Please appoint your delegates, select your subject and send same to Rev. W. F. Jones, 528 S. 12th street, Richmond, Ind. We shall expect every department brought up in its order. Rev. J. E. Artis president, 536 S. 12th street.

CEMENTVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Kel'ar and little son James of Union City, Mich., are spending a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Kellar. Mrs. Belle Stinson of New Albany was the guest of her mother Mrs. Lucinda Jones and sister Mrs. Hannah Drain for a few days last week. Mrs. Ida Harlowe of Flat Woods entertained guests at dinner Sunday among whom were Mesdames Graves Jones Herford and Kellar. Rev. Skelton Dist., Supt., held Communion services Friday evening, text, "He Careth for His Own." Mrs. Lula Jackson the Misses Jones and Master Isaac Jones spent Sunday in Memphis to witness the baptizing of Mrs. Rachael Scott and Miss Ruth Head of that place. Mrs. Henrietta Bradshaw is convalescing. Subscribe for the Recorder.

MODOC.

Rev. Butler of Richmond will hold his regular service here next Sunday. All are invited to attend. Mrs. Hallie Q. Brown of Wilberforce, O. lectured at Farmland Saturday evening. While in the vicinity she visited Mr. C. H. Smothers. James Sawyer and wife of Muncie visited his mother Mrs. Rachael Sawyer last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott were in Greenville, O., last week attending the funeral of the latter's father. Mrs. Lula Johnson of New Castle visited Mrs. Rachael Sawyer and family Sunday. Mrs. Kelly has purchased another small farm of Charles Oakson. The annual concert of the Dunbar school will occur June 2. The chorus choir of the Missionary Baptist church by request will repeat the cantata "From the Manger to the Cross." Sunday night May 21. A club was organized at the residence of Mrs. Moore in S. 2nd street from the members of the F. W. Baptist church last Friday. The Busy Bees elected the following officers last Thursday evening: pres. Mrs. Anna Snowden; vice pres. Mrs. Daugherty; sec. Miss Laura Lewis; asst. sec. Miss Myrtle Smith; treas. Mrs. Sarah Cabell. The club will have an opening the first Thursday in June. Mrs. White and child have joined her husband Rev. White in this city. Tomorrow is Mothers' day in all the churches of the city. At the Missionary Baptist church the mothers will wear carnations and will bring one extra one, each for anyone who is sick or too feeble to attend. The Busy Bees club is the strongest auxiliary of the church financially and socially. The Odd Fellows and Household of Ruth will hold their annual services at the Missionary Baptist church next Sunday at 3 p. m. Rev. Snowden will preach the sermon.

The services at Rev. Estell's church in Highland last Sunday were very inspiring. Over \$50 was realized during the day. Revs. Snowden, Hammonds and Anderson assisted in the afternoon service. Rev. John Artis of Rockville preached at the Muriels Baptist church in Highland Sunday night. Rev. Driver has charge of the M. E. church in Highland and is succeeding in his new field of labor. Mrs. Washington Grand State Lecturer of the Household of Ruth is in our city this week. Mrs. Mary W. Roberts of Rockville passed through our city last week enroute to Philadelphia to be at the bedside of her sister Mrs. Isabel Young who is seriously ill.

MADISON

Prof. A. W. Bailey who has been principal of Broadway High School, and Prof. Wm. Lounes who has been assistant principal of said school, the first Colored Commissioned High school in the state have resigned their positions to take effect at the close of the school year. Prof. Lounes will locate in Detroit, Mich., and Prof. Bailey will go to a larger field.



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TERRE HAUTE

Miss Ruth Hood of Martinsville is visiting her two sisters who are students at Normal. The rally Sunday at Spruce street church was a decided success. More than \$300 was raised from the various clubs. May 21 was fixed for cleaning day at which time the above amount will be increased to \$400. The S. S. raised \$10 on the rally. The "New Minister at Spruce street church Thursday evening was quite a success. The May Fair at Allen Chapel succeeded in clearing \$70. Mrs. Augustus Russell is on the sick list. Rev. White of Sautler's Chapel attended the rally at Spruce street church last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. A. L. Cabell is visiting her daughter Mrs. Pauline Brown in Henderson Ky. Next Sunday the men and women will make their offering on separate tables. Misses A. L. Knight and Lula Jackson will represent the women and Messrs Geo. Holland and Jerry Rectors the men. Quarterly meeting May 21. After a long illness Miss Agnes Clark is slowly improving. The annual concert of the Dunbar school will occur June 2. The chorus choir of the Missionary Baptist church by request will repeat the cantata "From the Manger to the Cross." Sunday night May 21. A club was organized at the residence of Mrs. Moore in S. 2nd street from the members of the F. W. Baptist church last Friday.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson VII.—Second Quarter, For May 14, 1911.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Isa. vi, 1-13. Memory Verses, 6-8—Golden Text, Isa. vi, 8—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

We saw in last week's lesson that Uzziah, king of Judah, was evidently much helped by a prophet named Zechariah, who had visions of God. And now we see in this lesson that Isaiah received his commission in connection with a vision of God. It was so with Ezekiel and Zechariah, who wrote the prophecy called by his name; also with Moses and Joshua and Gideon. Daniel also had a vision of God, and it was not until Job could say "Now mine eye seeth thee" that he received fullness of blessing. There is no vision of God or knowledge of God except through the Son of God, whom we know as Jesus Christ our Lord. No man knoweth the Father save the Son, and he to whomsoever the Son will reveal Him. No man cometh unto the Father but by Me. He that hath seen Me hath seen the Father (Matt. xi, 27; John xiv, 6, 9). We are not fully qualified for service until we have seen God in Christ that no mortal man is big enough to come between Him and our soul's vision. The Lord alone must be seen and exalted, and we must cease from man (Isa. ii, 11, 17, 22).

In the year that King Uzziah died Isaiah saw a throne and a king who liveth forever, who said to John in Paltmos, "I was dead, and behold I am alive forevermore" (Rev. i, 18). This same John, quoting from our lesson chapter and referring to this vision, said, "These things said Isaiah when he saw His glory and spoke of Him" (John xii, 41). Notice that the one whom Isaiah saw on the throne is called Lord capital L, small ord, not the same as LORD in verses 3, 5, 12, where the name is all capitals. The former is "Adonai," my master, my proprietor, the one who owns me, whereas the latter is "Jehovah," the great "I am," who was and is and is to be the Creator as my Redeemer. If any mortal man owns us and he dies we may be in sore distress, but if the one whose we are and whom we serve is the ever living man on the throne then we will have peace always.

It is a very great lesson to learn to see no man but move save Jesus only with ourselves (Mark ix, 8). Isaiah saw the seraphim close to the throne, whereas Ezekiel and John saw cherubim (Ezek. i, 10; Rev. iv, 9, 10), and the association of the cherubim with the mercy seat and the veil that they represent the glorified redeemed from among the nations. The seraphim may represent the same as they only, seraphim and cherubim, cry holy, holy, holy. They look forward to and speak of the time when the earth shall be full of His glory. Covering face and feet with their wings suggests that it is not what we are or what we do that counts for anything, but with the wings that fly we must soar higher, even as on eagles' wings, and behold only Himself. The face indicates character, what we are, and the feet our walk, what we do, but our only comfort is in what He is and what He does.

The effect of this vision of the glory of the Lord upon the prophet was that he saw himself as wholly undone and unclean. This is what we need—such a vision of the beauty of the Lord that we shall forever hate and abhor ourselves and see ourselves as sinners in His sight, according to Isa. lxiv, 6; Dan. x, 8; Rom. vii, 18; 3:19. Then seeing ourselves we shall have no condemnation for other sinners, nothing but the compassion of Jesus Christ. When there is this deep and thorough conviction of sin, then it is a short road to forgiveness and cleansing, for He came to save sinners, and His blood cleanseth from all sin. Note that heavenly agency does it all, iniquity is taken away, sin purged, the sinner is perfectly helpless, as were Adam and Eve when the Lord God said:

It is our privilege to know that He has by Himself purged our sins and is now on the right hand of the Majesty on high (Heb. i, 3). Then we are ready to hear the voice from the throne saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Notice the "I" and "us," the one living and true God in the three persons of Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Was ever such a wonderful commission offered to mortals as to represent the Trinity before men? See in John xv, 17, 23, how they are said to dwell in the believer and in 11 Cor. iv, 10, 11, that the life of Jesus is to be made manifest in these mortal bodies.

We have only to yield and obey. The power is His, and the life is His, and the message is His, and He will take care of the results, and we are assured that He will not fail nor be discouraged (Isa. xl, 4). It is ours to receive the message from Himself, and then in His name "Go tell" (verse 9; Ezek. iii, 10, 11, 17). In the closing verses of the chapter the prophet was told that the message would not be received. So it was with Jeremiah and Ezekiel. They were warned that their messages would provoke great opposition, but they were to speak whether men would hear or not. See also Matt. x, 16-18; John xv, 18, 19.

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RICHMOND.

Mrs. Effie Freeman Watkins of Kansas City, Kan., who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city returned home Thursday. Her mother-in-law Mrs. Marthalline Roberts accompanied her and will spend the summer there. Miss Osa Watkins of Indianapolis was in the city last Sunday the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Watkins in S. 11th street. The Uniform Rank will give a grand banquet at the Coliseum Monday night May 15. The Original Jubilee Singers will render an excellent program after which dancing will be indulged in. Mrs. Sarah Watkins who has been seriously ill is improving slowly. Rev. A. Cottman was in Indianapolis Wednesday to attend the wedding of his son Howard to Miss Merle Anderson of that city. The captains and members of the various clubs of Bethel church are laboring earnestly to raise money for the rally June 11. The pastor is highly pleased with the interest that is manifested. Several from this city will attend the wedding of Miss Leora Tanner of Kokomo and P. W. Allison of Winston-Salem, N. C., which will take place May 24 at 10 a. m. at her home in E. Taylor street. Miss Tanner is well known in this city having visited here a number of times. The Uniform Rank has already begun preparations for the great Supreme meeting in Indianapolis in August.

MARION.

Lewis Weathers is discharged from the hospital and has taken a furlough for 30 days to attend the G. A. R. Encampment and visit friends in Indianapolis. Harry Olds, our baby boy, has taken a few days leave of absence on business and will visit Indianapolis while away. David Hardin was taken suddenly ill last Friday in the barracks and removed to the Home hospital for treatment. Heart failure and over exertion are the cause of his illness. He is improving rapidly. Gail Hollow y of the Old Men's barracks has been transferred to the hospital for treatment. Lorenzo Geo. Co. G, 3rd Regt. U. S. C. T. who has been sojourning at this Home for some time has applied for a transfer to the Torgies Home the main branch of the D. U. S. His former home is Philadelphia where he will stop to visit relatives and friends.

ANDERSON

The W. M. M. society will meet at the home of Mrs. Faith Watkins Thursday evening. Luncheon will be served from 4 to 11 p. m. All are invited. The Household of Ruth will hold their annual service Sunday at 3 p. m. The trustee rally Sunday at Allen Chapel was a success. They are planning for a grand rally the 2nd Sunday in June at which time they want to raise \$500. The Electoral College will convene at Allen Chapel May 17. All delegates will please send their names to Rev. C. P. Smith, 619 W. 16th street.

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Archibald Holliday vs. Sarah Holliday
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Now, Therefore, by order of said Court said defendant, last above named, is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against her and that unless she appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 15th day of April 1911, the same being the 15th judicial day of a term of said Court to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the First Monday in April 1911, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged, will be heard and determined in her absence.

JOHN RAUCH, Clerk
A. H. DICKEY, Attorney for Plaintiff
221 Law Bldg., Phone 576

Complaint for Divorce.
State of Indiana, Marion County, ss: In the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana No. 8879
Eva Sanford vs. George Sanford
BE IT KNOWN, That on the 8th day of MAY 1911 the above named plaintiff, by her attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County in the State of Indiana, her complaint against the above named defendant George Sanford and the said plaintiff having been duly served with the said complaint, and that said defendant, George Sanford, is a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court and answer or demur thereto on the 5th day of JULY 1911.
Now, Therefore, by order of said Court said defendant, last above named, is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against him and that unless he appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 5th day of July 1911, the same being the 3rd judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the First Monday in July 1911, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged, will be heard and determined in his absence.

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Grand Master of Masons, D. W.
Cain of Seymour, Ind., spent Sunday
in this city.

Break all "previous engagements" for
May 18, and go to Simpson Chapel.

Ellis Stewart, of Columbus, Ind.,
spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Mary Childs is the guest of relatives
and friends in Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Clara T. Benson left Wednesday
for several days visit to her father,
Wm. Trail at Shirley, Ind.

Mrs. Dorcas Bush, niece of Mrs.
Mina Lewis, continues very ill and is
being attended by the sisters of the
Household of Ruth.

Dr. Maud Reed is arranging to give
a playlet for the benefit of the local
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Mrs. Amanda Phelps Gurnell con-
tinues quite ill at her home, 2049 Lud-
low avenue.

Mrs. W. D. Johnson and children
are visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Mrs. Lula Nettles spent Sunday
with her friend Mrs. Martha Carroll,
of Crawfordsville.

D. F. Baker and Miss G. B. Mans-
field spent Sunday in Plainfield, the
guests of Miss Frances Carson.

Wm. Allison, who has been the
guest of Mrs. Copeland in Hudson
street, returned home Monday.

James Morris, who was called to
Hodgenville, Ky., to bury his father
and brother, has returned home.

Mrs. Copeland of Hudson street, at-
tended the funeral of Geo. Morris, in
Hodgenville, Ky.

Misses Mabel Jackson and Hester
Cawherd spent Sunday in Columbus,
the guests of Claude and Lila Johnson.

Miss Esther Ealy has gone to Bos-
ton, Mass., to visit her sister, Mrs.
Bertha Russell.

ARE YOU GOING?—to the Whist
given by the Ladies' Guild of St.
Phillips, at the Dumas club, Monday
evening, May 15.

Mrs. S. A. Ratliffe spent last Sun-
day in Spiceland, the guest of her
brother, George Ealy.

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Don't fail to attend the Busy Ladies Aid
at Allen Chapel church May 17. 42-4t

Yes, you'll be sorry if you stay at home
May 18.

The Dorcas Circle of Jones Taber-
nacle met with Mrs. Clara Wallace
Friday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of Union
Tabernacle met with Mrs. Mattie
Bennett at her home 728 N. West
street, Friday afternoon. Preparations
are being made by the ladies for
their May Fair the fourth week.

The Flora Grant M. M. society are
still having interesting meetings. All
members are urged to meet and pay
up back dues as the convention is to
be held June 2, 3, 4. Mrs. Bessie
Thomas was elected first delegate and
Mrs. Carrie Watts, second.

The Swastika club will be entertain-
ed next Wednesday afternoon, by Mrs.
Exie McAdoo.

The Mary Campbell M. M. society
will meet Wednesday May 17, at the
residence of Mrs. Morris Lewis in N.
California street.

The Semper Fidelis club will meet
with Mrs. Emma Duerson, Thursday,
May 18, at the Parker House.

The Woman's club will meet Mon-
day afternoon with Mrs. Lois Russell,
215 W. 12th street.

The Dressmakers' Relief club will
meet Tuesday with Mrs. Hinton, 1629
Alford street.

The Junior Industrial club will
meet at the residence of Mrs. Florence
Bennett, 701 W. 13th street, Saturday
afternoon. The program will consist
of a recitation by Emma Scott and a
piano solo by Marion Shelton.

Mary Scott Temple No. 25 will meet
the fourth Saturday in this month at
their hall on Delaware street. Busi-
ness of importance.

Hear Leona Van Meter at Simpson
Chapel May 18 in a short story.

The Rosary in pantomime by Katherine
Williams will be great.

The Blue Ribbon club met at the
home of Mrs. Mary Bryant on Roan-
oke street. It was a social and finan-
cial success.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Lincoln
Hospital held an interesting call meet-
ing Tuesday. The reports from the
tickets sold for the Charity ball are
still coming in and already the net
proceeds has reached the \$130.00 mark.
It is predicted by the Auxiliary that
\$150 will be the final report. The
Charity ball was the most successful
affair of its kind given this season.

Look who's here—Ben Hollman sing-
ing at the Senate Theater 1319 N.
Senate avenue.

The Lotus club will open club rooms
at 330 W. Michigan street.

The Florence Nightingale club will
meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs.
M. S. Johnson, 1125 Fayette street.
The spelling bee will be repeated in
the evening at the residence of Mrs.
Robert Taylor, 514 W. 13th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cannon enter-
tained a few friends at whist Wednes-
day evening at their home in Camp
street.

Anita Wilkins, of the best singers of
her race, will be at the Crown Theatre
next week. She has sang before the royal
family, and you will miss something if
you don't hear her.

Captain H. Houston in command will
drill the Pythian Cadets at their dance,
Thursday evening, May 25, at the Pythian
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The first dance of a series to be given
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Mrs. Emma Prince and Miss Ophelia
Clark spent Sunday the guests of the
latters mother, Mrs. George Clark of
Connersville. Miss Clark will leave in
two weeks for Washington D. C.,
where she will enter Freedmen's Hos-
pital to become a trained nurse. She
will be at home to her many good
wishing friends, after May 14, at 801
W. 6th street, Connersville.

Lovers of Whists will be highly en-
tertained by the Ladies' Guild, Mon-
day evening, May 15, at the Dumas
club.

Did you see the show at the Crown The-
ater last week—a record breaker. Don't
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A. E. Guye, agent for the Income
Guaranty Co., has located in the city,
and opened an office in the Sanders
Bldg, 218 Indiana avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Booth and fam-
ily have removed to a pretty home,
550 W. 12th street, recently purchased
by them. The home is modern and
and price paid was \$1,825 cash. Mr.
and Mrs. Booth formerly lived in W.
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"My Old Man"—Ben Holman will
sing Sunday at the Senate theatre
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ning, May 22, at Pythian Temple Hall. 2t

Hear David F. Mason the silver
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Sunday and next week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walker were host
and hostess for a pleasant dinner
party Sunday at 2 p. m., at their beau-
tiful new home, 640 N. West street.
The guests were Misses Maud Perry,
and Creola Sanders, and R. B. Ran-
som, John Browder and R. L. Broken-
burr.

Leonard R. Harris and Miss Ethel
Reed were quietly married at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. George Oglesby,
733 Indiana avenue, Wednesday eve-
ning, May 10, Rev. C. C. Wilson, officiating.

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